

**Police Department** 

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## STATEMENT BY MILWAUKEE POLICE CHIEF NANNETTE HEGERTY

Within the very recent past there have been a number of Milwaukee Police Officers who have been charged with state and federal crimes. Each and every one of these cases was referred for criminal prosecution by my office through the Milwaukee Police Department's Professional Performance Division.

As I have said many times in the past, I will not tolerate criminal wrongdoing by any member of the Milwaukee Police Department. Should any additional criminal activity by Milwaukee Police Officers come to my attention, I will not hesitate to refer those matters to the appropriate authorities.

The vast majority of Milwaukee Police Officers work hard to protect our community and I will not allow the actions of a few officers to detract from the years of dedicated service of the majority.

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